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In re application of: **Stefan BEICHL et al.**
Application No.: 10/540,203
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For: **SEALING ARRANGEMENT**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Notice of Appeal from the Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences (1 pages)** in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.
- ☐ Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.
- ☒ No fee for additional claims is required.
- ☐ A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

- ☒ Also transmitted herewith are:
 - ☒ Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
 - ☒ Other: **Return Receipt Postcard**

- ☒ Check(s) in the amount of **\$970.00** is/are attached to cover:
 - ☐ Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16
 - ☒ Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
 - ☒ Other: **Notice of Appeal from the Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences (1 page)**

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.
 - ☐ Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.
 - ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
 - ☒ Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.

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